

MONTANA PREVAILING WAGE RATES FOR HEAVY & HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION 2009

Rates Effective: May 15, 2009

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MONTANA PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

The Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry, in accordance with Sections 18-2-401 and 18-2-402 of the Montana Code Annotated, has determined the standard prevailing rate of wages for the occupations listed in this publication.

The wages specified herein control the prevailing rate of wages for the purposes of 18-2-401, et seq., Montana Code Annotated. It is required that each employer pay, as a minimum, the rate of wages, including fringe benefits, travel allowance and per diem applicable to the district in which the work is being performed, as provided in the attached wage determinations.

All Montana Prevailing Wage Rates are available on the Internet at **www.mtwagehourbopa.com** or by contacting the Labor Standards Bureau at (406) 444-5600 or TDD (406) 444-5549.

In addition, this publication provides general information concerning compliance with Montana's Prevailing Wage Law and payment of prevailing wages. For detailed compliance information relating to Public Works projects and payment of prevailing wage rates, please consult the Regulations on the Internet at **www.mtwagehourbopa.com** or contact the Labor Standards Bureau at (406) 444-5600 or TDD (406) 444-5549.

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A. Date of Publication: May 15, 2009

B. Definition of Heavy Construction

The Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 24.17.501 (4) – (4)(a), Public Works Contracts For Construction Services Subject to Prevailing Rates, states: “*Heavy construction projects include, but are not limited to, those projects that are not properly classified as either ‘building construction’, or ‘highway construction.’*”

Heavy construction projects include, but are not limited to, antenna towers, bridges (major bridges designed for commercial navigation), breakwaters, caissons (other than building or highway), canals, channels, channel cut-offs, chemical complexes or facilities (other than buildings), cofferdams, coke ovens, dams, demolition (not incidental to construction), dikes, docks, drainage projects, dredging projects, electrification projects (outdoor), fish hatcheries, flood control projects, industrial incinerators (other than building), irrigation projects, jetties, kilns, land drainage (not incidental to other construction), land leveling (not incidental to other construction), land reclamation, levees, locks and waterways, oil refineries (other than buildings), pipe lines, ponds, pumping stations (prefabricated drop-in units – not buildings), railroad construction, reservoirs, revetments, sewage collection and disposal lines, sewers (sanitary, storm, etc.), shoreline maintenance, ski tows, storage tanks, swimming pools (outdoor), subways (other than buildings), tipples, tunnels, unsheltered piers and wharves, viaducts (other than highway), water mains, waterway construction, water supply lines (not incidental to building), water and sewage treatment plants (other than buildings) and wells.”

Federal Davis-Bacon wage rates as published in U.S. Department of Labor General Wage Decision No. MT080001 Modification No.8 have been adopted by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry for use in Heavy Construction projects and are included in this publication. These rates apply statewide or as shown in MT080001 Modification No. 8.

C. Definition of Highway Construction

The Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 24.17.501 (3) – (3)(a), Public Works Contracts For Construction Services Subject to Prevailing Rates, states: “*Highway construction projects include, but are not limited to, the construction, alteration, or repair of roads, streets, highways, runways, taxiways, alleys, trails, paths, and parking areas, bridges constructed or repaired in conjunction with highway work, and other similar projects not incidental to building construction or heavy construction.*”

Highway construction projects include, but are not limited to, alleys, base courses, bituminous treatments, bridle paths, concrete pavement, curbs, excavation and embankment (for road construction), fencing (highway), grade crossing elimination (overpasses or underpasses), guard rails on highways, highway signs, highway bridges (overpasses, underpasses, grade separation), medians, parking lots, parkways, resurfacing streets and highways, roadbeds, roadways, runways,

shoulders, stabilizing courses, storm sewers incidental to road construction, street paving, surface courses, taxiways, and trails.”

Federal Davis-Bacon wage rates as published in U.S. Department of Labor General Wage Decision No. MT080002 Modification No.1 have been adopted by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry for use in Highway Construction projects and are included in this publication. These rates apply statewide or as shown in MT080002 Modification No. 1.

D. Definition of Public Works Projects

The Montana Code Annotated (18-2-401 (11)(a)) defines “*public works contract*” as “*a contract for construction services let by the state, county, municipality, school district, or political subdivision or for nonconstruction services let by the state, county, municipality, or political subdivision in which the total cost of the contract is in excess of \$25,000...*”

E. Prevailing Wage Schedule

This publication covers only Heavy and Highway Construction occupations and rates in the specific localities mentioned herein. These rates will remain in effect until superseded by a more current publication. Current prevailing wage rates schedules for Building Construction, and Nonconstruction Services occupations can be found on the Internet at www.mtwagehourbopa.com or by contacting the Labor Standards Bureau at (406) 444-5600 or TDD (406) 444-5549.

F. Fringe Benefits

Section 18-2-412 of the Montana Code Annotated states:

“(1) To fulfill the obligation... a contractor or subcontractor may:

(a) *pay the amount of fringe benefits and the basic hourly rate of pay that is part of the standard prevailing rate of wages directly to the worker or employee in cash;*

(b) *make an irrevocable contribution to a trustee or a third person pursuant to a fringe benefit fund, plan, or program that meets the requirements of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 or that is a bona fide program approved by the United States department of labor; or*

(c) *make payments using any combination of methods set forth in subsections (1)(a) and (1)(b) so that the aggregate of payments and contributions is not less than the standard prevailing rate of wages, including fringe benefits for health and welfare and pension contributions that meet the requirements of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, travel, or other bona fide programs approved by the United States department of labor, that is applicable to the district for the particular type of work being performed.*

(2) The fringe benefit fund, plan, or program described in subsection (1)(b) must provide benefits to workers or employees for health care, pensions on retirement or death, life insurance, disability and sickness insurance, or bona fide programs that meet the requirements of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 or that are approved by the United States department of labor.”

Fringe benefits are paid for all hours worked (straight time and overtime hours). However, fringe benefits are not to be considered a part of the hourly rate of pay for calculating overtime, unless there is a collectively bargained agreement in effect that specifies otherwise.

Employers are obligated to pay the wage rates and fringes as listed in the booklet, including the zone hourly rate when applicable. For heavy and highway construction occupations, the vacation benefit amount is not included in the prevailing wage rate, unless stated otherwise.

G. Apprentices

Wage rates for apprentices registered in approved federal or state apprenticeship programs are contained in those programs. However, apprentices not registered in approved federal or state apprenticeship programs will be paid the prevailing wage rate when working on a public works contract.

H. Posting Notice of Prevailing Wages

Section 18-2-406, Montana Code Annotated, provides that contractors, subcontractors, and employers who are performing work or providing services under public works contracts, as provided in this part, shall post in a prominent and accessible site on the project or work area, not later than the first day of work, a legible statement of all wages and fringe benefits to be paid to the employees on such site or work area.

I. Employment Preference

Sections 18-2-403 and 18-2-409, Montana Code Annotated, require contractors to give preference to the employment of bona fide Montana residents in the performance of work on public works contracts.

J. Rates to Use for Projects

Rates to be used on a public works project are those that are in effect at the time the project and bid specifications are advertised.

MONTANA STATEWIDE PREVAILING DAVIS-BACON 2009

Rates Effective: May 15, 2009

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION WAGE RATES

General Wage Determinations Issued Under
The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts

State: Montana

Construction Types: Heavy

Counties: Montana Statewide

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

ZONE DEFINITIONS

CARPENTERS, *CEMENT MASONS, LABORERS, AND TRUCK DRIVERS

The zone hourly rates applicable to each project shall be determined by measuring the road miles over the shortest practical maintained route from the nearest County Court House of the following listed towns to the center of the job:

BILLINGS, BOZEMAN, BUTTE, GREAT FALLS, HAVRE, HELENA, KALISPELL, LEWISTOWN, MILES CITY, MISSOULA

Zone 1: 0 to 30 miles - Base Pay
Zone 2: 31 to 60 miles - Base Pay+ \$2.95
Zone 3: 60+ miles - Base Pay+ \$4.70

*CEMENT MASONS ZONES: The above cities plus DILLON, GLASGOW, GLENDIVE, SIDNEY

CARP0028-002 05/01/2007

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTERS: (Zone 1)		
CARPENTER & PILEBUCK	\$22.00	\$8.40
MILLWRIGHT	\$24.00	\$8.40

CARP0028-004 06/01/2006

	Rates	Fringes
DIVER TENDER	\$27.27	\$7.80
DIVER	\$56.54	\$7.80

DEPTH PAY (Surface Diving)
050 to 100 feet \$2.00 per foot
101 to 150 feet \$3.00 per foot
151 to 220 feet \$4.00 per foot
221 ft & deeper \$5.00 per foot

ELEC0044-001 09/01/2008

BEAVERHEAD, BIG HORN, BLAINE, BROADWATER, CARBON, CARTER, CASCADE, CHOUTEAU, CUSTER, DANIELS, DAWSON, DEER LODGE, FALLON, FERGUS, GALLATIN, GARFIELD, GLACIER, GOLDEN VALLEY, GRANITE, HILL, JEFFERSON, JUDITH, BASIN, LEWIS AND CLARK, LIBERTY, MADISON, MCCONE, MEAGHER, MINERAL, MISSOULA, MUSSELSHELL, PARK, PETROLEUM, PHILLIPS, PONDERA, POWDER RIVER, POWELL, PRAIRIE, RAVALLI, RICHLAND, ROOSEVELT, ROSEBUD, SHERIDAN, SILVER BOW, STILLWATER, SWEET GRASS, TETON, TOOLE, TREASURE, VALLEY, WHEATLAND, WIBAUX, AND YELLOWSTONE COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
LINE CONSTRUCTION		
(1) Lineman	\$33.90	4.75%+\$10.61
(2) Equipment Operator	\$25.13	4.75%+\$10.95
(3) Experienced Groundman	\$20.27	4.75%+\$10.33

ELEC0233-001 06/01/2008

BLAINE, BROADWATER, CASCADE, CHOUTEAU, FERGUS, GLACIER, HILL, JUDITH BASIN, LEWIS & CLARK, LIBERTY, MEAGHER, PETROLEUM, PHILLIPS, PONDERA, TETON, VALLEY, AND WHEATLAND COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN	\$27.26	4.25%+\$8.55

ELEC0233-002 08/01/2007

BEAVERHEAD, DEER LODGE, GRANITE, JEFFERSON, MADISON, POWELL, AND SILVER BOW COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN	\$25.50	4.25%+\$9.20

ELEC0532-001 06/01/2008

GALLATIN, PARK, AND SWEET GRASS COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN	\$26.29	4.25%+\$8.40

ELEC0532-003 06/01/2008

BIG HORN, CARBON, CARTER, CUSTER, DANIELS, DAWSON, FALLON, GARFIELD, GOLDEN VALLEY, McCONE, MUSSELSHELL, POWDER RIVER, PRAIRIE, RICHLAND, ROOSEVELT, ROSEBUD, SHERIDAN, STILLWATER, TREASURE, WIBAUX AND YELLOWSTONE COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN	\$26.83	4.25%+\$9.39

ELEC0768-001 03/01/2008

FLATHEAD, LAKE, LINCOLN, MINERAL, MISSOULA, RAVALLI, AND SANDERS COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN	\$27.10	\$10.71

ELEC0768-003 07/02/2007

FLATHEAD, LAKE, AND LINCOLN COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
LINE CONSTRUCTION		
(1) Lineman	\$32.60	\$12.01
(2) Groundman	\$19.49	\$11.01
(3) Line Equipment Operator	\$24.16	\$11.41
(4) Tree Trimmer	\$26.11	\$11.58

ZONE DEFINITIONS FOR POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS:

The zone hourly rates applicable to each project shall be determined by measuring the road miles over the shortest practical maintained route from the nearest County Court House of the following listed towns to the center of the job:

BILLINGS, BOZEMAN, BUTTE, GREAT FALLS, HELENA, KALISPELL, MISSOULA.

Zone 1: 0 to 30 miles - Base Pay
 Zone 2: 31 to 60 miles - Base Pay+ \$3.50
 Zone 3: Over 60 miles - Base Pay+ \$5.50

ENGI0400-001 05/01/2008

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (Zone 1)		
Group 1	\$22.47	\$9.05
Group 2	\$22.94	\$9.05
Group 3	\$23.34	\$9.05
Group 4	\$24.00	\$9.05
Group 5	\$24.50	\$9.05
Group 6	\$25.60	\$9.05
Group 7	\$26.10	\$9.05

POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS CLASSIFICATIONS:

GROUP 1: Air Compressor; Auto Fine Grader; Belt Finishing Machine; Boring Machine, small; Cement Silo; Crane, A-Frame Truck Crane; Crusher Conveyor; DW-10, 15, and 20 Tractor Roller; Farm Tractor; Forklift; Form Grader; Front-end Loader under 1 cu yd; Heavy Duty Drills; Herman Nelson Heater; Mulching Machine; Oiler, all except Cranes. & Shovels; Pumpman.

GROUP 2: Air Doctor; Backhoe/Excavator/Shovel to and including 3 cu yd; Bit Grinder; Bituminous Paving Travel Plant; Boring Machine, large; Broom, self-propelled; Concrete Travel Batcher; Concrete Float & Spreader; Concrete Bucket Dispatcher; Concrete Finish Machine; Concrete Conveyor; Distributor; Dozer, Rubber- Tired, Push & Side Boom; Elevating Grader/Gradall; Field Equipment Serviceman; Front-end Loader 1 cu yd to including 5 cu yd; Grade Setter; Heavy Duty Drills, all types; Hoist/Tugger, all; Hydralift & similar; Industrial Locomotive; Motor Patrol, except Finish; Mountain Skidder; Oiler - Cranes & Shovels; Pavement Breaker, EMSCO; Power Saw, self-propelled; Pugmill; Pumpcrete/Grout Machine; Punch Truck; Roller, other than Asphalt; Roller, Sheepsfoot, self- propelled; Roller, 25 tons and over; Ross Carrier; Rotomill under 6 ft; Trenching Machine; Washing/Screening Plant.

GROUP 3: Asphalt Paving Machine; Asphalt Screed; Backhoe/Excavator/Shovel over 3 cu yd; Cableway Highline; Concrete Batch Plant; Concrete Curing Machine; Concrete Pump; Cranes, Creter; Cranes, Electric Overhead; Cranes, 24 tons and under; Curb Machine/Slip Form Paver; Finish Dozer; Front-end Loader over 5 cu yd; Mechanic/Welder; Pioneer Dozer; Roller, Asphalt (Breakdown & Finish); Rotomill, over 6 ft; Scraper, single, twin, or pulling Belly Dump; Yo-Yo Cat.

GROUP 4: Asphalt/Hot Plant Operator; Cranes, 25 tons to 44 tons; Crusher Operator; Finish Motor Patrol; Finish Scraper.

GROUP 5: Cranes, 45 tons to including 74 tons.

GROUP 6: Cranes, 75 tons to including 149 tons; Crane, Whirley (all).

GROUP 7: Cranes, 150 tons to including 250 tons (add \$1.00 for every 100 tons over 250 tons); Crane, Stiff-Leg or Derrick; Helicopter Hoist; Crane, Tower (all).

IRON0014-002 07/01/2008

FLATHEAD, GLACIER, LAKE, LINCOLN, MINERAL, MISSOULA, AND SANDERS COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER	\$23.17	\$15.55

IRON0732-009 06/01/2008

REMAINING COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER	\$24.80	\$14.61

LABO0098-001 05/01/2005

	Rates	Fringes
LABORERS: (Zone 1)		
Group 1	\$15.17	\$5.90
Group 2	\$17.99	\$5.90
Group 3	\$18.13	\$5.90
Group 4	\$18.85	\$5.90

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS:**GROUP 1:** Flagperson.

GROUP 2: All General Labor work; Burning Bar; Bucket Man; Carpenter Tender; Caisson Worker; Cement Mason Tender; Cement Handler (dry); Chuck Tender; Choker Setter; Concrete worker; Curb Machine-Lay Down; Crusher and Batch worker; Fence Erector; Form Setter; Form Stripper; Heater Tender; Landscaper; Pipe Wrapper; Pot Tender; Powderman Tender; Rail and Truck Loaders and Unloaders; Riprapp; Sealants for concrete and other materials; Sign Erection, Guard Rail and Jersey Rail; Stake Jumper; Spike Driver; Signalman; Tail Hoseman; Tool Checker and Houseman; Traffic Control worker.

GROUP 3: Concrete Vibrator; Dumpman (Grademan); Equipment Handler; Geotextile and Liners; High-Pressure Nozzleman; Jackhammer (Pavement Breaker); Laser Equipment; Non-Riding Rollers; Pipelayer; Posthole Digger (Power); Power Driven Wheelbarrow; Rigger; Sandblaster; Sod Cutter-Power; Tampers; Creosote Handler.

GROUP 4: Asphalt Raker; Asbestos Laborer; Cutting Torch; Grade Setter; Hazmat Worker; High - Scaler; Power Saws (Faller & Concrete); Powderman (\$1.00 per hour above Group 4 rate); Rock & Core Drill; Tank/Vessel Cleaner; Track or Truck mounted Wagon Drill; Welder including Air Arc.

PAIN0260-001 07/01/2002

BLAINE, BROADWATER, CASCADE, CHOUTEAU, DANIELS, FERGUS, GARFIELD, GLACIER, GRANITE (South of a line running East & West through the Southern city limits of Phillipsburg), HILL, JEFFERSON, JUDITH BASIN, LEWIS AND CLARK, LIBERTY, McCONE, MEAGHER, PETROLEUM, PHILLIPS, PONDERA, POWELL (South of a line running East & West through the Southern City limits of Helmsville), RICHLAND, ROOSEVELT, SHERIDAN, TETON, TOOLE, VALLEY, AND WHEATLAND COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER	\$13.85	1%+\$3.45

PAIN0260-002 07/01/2002

FLATHEAD, GRANITE (North of a line running East & West through the Southern city limits of Phillipsburg), LAKE, LINCOLN, MINERAL, MISSOULA, POWELL (North of a line running East & West through the Southern city limits of Helmsville), RAVALLI, AND SANDERS COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER	\$16.85	1%+\$3.45

PAIN1922-001 06/01/2001

BEAVERHEAD, BIG HORN, CARBON, CARTER, CUSTER, DAWSON, DEER LODGE, FALLON, GALLATIN, GOLDEN VALLEY, JEFFERSON, MADISON, MUSSELSHELL, PARK, POWDER RIVER, PRAIRIE, ROSEBUD, SILVER BOW, STILLWATER, SWEET GRASS, TREASURE, WIBAUX, AND YELLOWSTONE COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER (Industrial, includes industrial plants, tanks, pipes, bridges)	\$17.80	\$7.63

PLAS0119-001 05/01/2008**AREA 1:** STATEWIDE (except Deer Lodge, Jefferson, Powell, and Silver Bow Counties).**AREA 2:** DEER LODGE, JEFFERSON, POWELL, AND SILVER BOW COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
CEMENT MASONS: (Zone 1)		
Area 1	\$18.83	\$6.96
Area 2	\$20.24	\$6.86

PLUM0030-003 09/01/2008

BIGHORN, BLAINE, CARBON, CARTER, CASCADE, CHOUTEAU, CUSTER, DANIELS, DAWSON, FALLON, FERGUS, GARFIELD, GOLDEN VALLEY, HILL, JUDITH BASIN, LIBERTY, McCONE, MEAGHER, MUSSELSHELL, PETROLEUM, PHILLIPS, PONDERA, POWDER RIVER, PRAIRIE, RICHLAND, ROOSEVELT, ROSEBUD, SHERIDAN, STILLWATER, TETON, TOOLE, TREASURE, VALLEY, WHEATLAND, WIBAUX AND YELLOWSTONE COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER		
Commercial	\$27.15	\$12.95
Industrial – Power Generating Plants	\$29.50	\$12.95

PLUM0041-001 07/01/2008

BEAVERHEAD, BROADWATER, DEER LODGE, GALLATIN, GRANITE, JEFFERSON, LEWIS AND CLARK, MADISON, PARK, POWELL, SILVER BOW, AND SWEET GRASS COUNTIES.

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER	\$28.00	\$10.75

PLUM0459-001 05/01/2008

FLATHEAD, GLACIER, LAKE, LINCOLN, MINERAL, MISSOULA, RAVALLI, AND SANDERS.

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER	\$26.36	\$11.05

TEAM0002-001 05/01/2008

	Rate	Fringes
TRUCK DRIVERS: (Zone 1)		
Group 1	\$14.14	\$5.92
Group 2	\$18.84	\$5.92

TRUCK DRIVERS CLASSIFICATIONS:

GROUP 1: Pilot Car.

GROUP 2: All Combination Trucks and Concrete Mixers; Distributor Driver; All Dry Batch Trucks; Dumpman, Gravel Spreader Box Operator; All Dump Trucks and similar equipment including DW 20, DW 21, or Euclid Tractor; Dumpsters; Flat Trucks; Servicemen; Lowboys, Four-Wheel Trailers; Float Semi-Trailer; Lumber Carriers, Lift Trucks & Fork Lifts; Pick-up Driver hauling material; Powder Truck (Bulk Unloader type); Power Boom; Service Truck Drivers, Fuel Truck Drivers, Tiremen; All Water Tank Drivers; Petroleum Products Drivers; Trucks with Power Equipment such as Winch, A-Frame Truck, Crane, Hydralift, Gout-Crete Truck, and Combination Mulching, Seeding & Fertilizing Truck; Truck Mechanic.

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.
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END OF GENERAL DECISION

**MONTANA STATEWIDE PREVAILING
DAVIS-BACON
2009**

Rates Effective: May 15, 2009

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WAGE RATES

General Wage Determinations Issued Under
The Davis-Bacon and Related Acts

State: Montana

Construction Types: Highway

Counties: Montana Statewide

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

ZONE PAY

CEMENTS MASONS, IRON WORKERS, LABORERS, POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS, TRUCK DRIVERS.

The hourly wage rates applicable to each project shall be determined by measuring the road miles over the shortest practical maintained route from the nearest County Court House of the following towns to the center of the job:

BILLINGS, BOZEMAN, BUTTE, GREAT FALLS, HAVRE, HELENA, KALISPELL, LEWISTOWN, MILES CITY, MISSOULA.

ZONE 1: 0 to 30 miles - Free
ZONE 2: 31 to 60 miles - Base Pay+ \$2.50
ZONE 3: 60+ miles - Base Pay+ \$4.00

CARPENTERS:

ZONE 1: 0 to 30 miles - Free
ZONE 2: 31 to 50 miles - Base Pay+ \$3.00
ZONE 3: 50+ miles - Base Pay+ \$4.80

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER		
CARPENTER, PILEDRIVERMAN	\$22.71	\$8.85
MILLWRIGHT	\$24.78	\$8.85
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CEMENT MASON		
	\$21.37	\$8.50
ELECTRICIAN		
Area 1	\$18.74	\$2.93+3.8%
Area 2	\$20.13	\$4.76+3.8%
Area 3	\$19.98	\$3.44+3.8%
Area 4	\$19.84	\$3.51+3.8%
Area 5	\$20.54	\$3.54+3.8%
Area 6	\$18.02	\$3.44+3.8%

ELECTRICIANS AREA DESCRIPTIONS

AREA 1: Beaverhead, Deer Lodge, Granite, Jefferson, Madison, Silver Bow, and Powell Counties.

AREA 2: Big Horn, Carbon, Carter, Custer, Dawson, Fallon, Garfield, Golden Valley, Musselshell, Powder River, Prairie, Rosebud, Stillwater, Treasure, Wibaux, and Yellowstone Counties.

AREA 3: Blaine, Cascade, Chouteau, Daniels, Fergus, Glacier, Hill, Judith Basin, Liberty, McCone, Petroleum, Pondera, Phillips, Richland, Roosevelt, Sheridan, Teton, Toole, Valley, and Wheatland Counties.

AREA 4: Broadwater, Lewis and Clark, and Meagher Counties.

AREA 5: Flathead, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula, Ravalli, and Sanders Counties.

AREA 6: Gallatin, Park, and Sweet Grass Counties.

IRONWORKER

Flathead, Glacier, Lake, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula and Sanders Counties.

	Rates	Fringes
	\$25.50	\$14.36

Remaining Counties.

	Rates	Fringes
	\$23.15	\$13.71

LABORER

Group 1	\$17.18	\$6.75
Group 2	\$19.97	\$6.75
Group 3	\$20.17	\$6.75
Group 4	\$21.07	\$6.75

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 1: Flag person.

GROUP 2: All General Labor work; Burning Bar; Bucket Man; Carpenter Tender; Caisson Worker; Cement Mason Tender; Cement Handler (dry); Chuck Tender; Choker Setter; Concrete worker; Curb Machine-Lay Down; Crusher and Batch Plant Worker; Fence Erector; Form Setter; Form Stripper; Heater Tender; Landscaper; Pipe Wrapper; Pot Tender; Powderman Tender; Rail and Truck Loaders and Unloaders; Riprapper; Sealants for Concrete and other materials; Sign Erection, Guard Rail and Jersey Rail; Stake Jumper; Spike Driver; Signalman; Tail Hoseman; Tool Checker and Houseman; Traffic Control Worker.

GROUP 3: Concrete Vibrator; Dumpman (Grademan); Equipment Handler; Geotextile and Liners; High-Pressure Nozzlemen; Jackhammer (Pavement Breaker); Laser equipment; Non-riding Rollers; Pipelayer; Posthole Digger (power); Power Driven Wheelbarrow; Rigger; Sandblaster; Sod Cutter-power; Tampers.

GROUP 4: Asphalt Raker; Cutting Torch; Grade Setter; High - Scaler; Power Saws (Faller & Concrete); Powderman (\$1.00 per hour above Group 4 rate); Rock & Core Drill; Track or Truck mounted Wagon Drill; Welder including Air Arc.

	Rates	Fringes
LINE CONSTRUCTION		
Equipment Operator	\$19.16	\$5.05
Groundman	\$15.40	\$5.05

	Rates	Fringes
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PAINTER

\$24.00	\$8.00
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Pavement Marking/Milling and related work. Includes operating marking and all other equipment and all work involved in traffic marking including removal, surface preparation and application of pavement markings including epoxies, paints, tape, buttons, thermo-plastics and any other products applied for traffic marking purposes and for directing and regulating traffic, and cutting Rumble Strips.

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR		
Group 1	\$21.52	\$8.00
Group 2	\$23.55	\$8.00
Group 3	\$24.41	\$8.00
Group 4	\$25.10	\$8.00
Group 5	\$26.44	\$8.00
Group 6	\$27.13	\$8.00
Group 7	\$29.23	\$8.00

POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 1: A-Frame Truck Crane; Air Compressor; Auto Fine Grader; Belt Finishing Machine; Boring Machine (small); Cement Silo, Crane; Crusher Conveyor, DW-10, 15, and 20 Tractor Roller; Farm Tractor; Forklift; Form-Grader; Front-end Loader under 1 cu yd; Oiler, Heavy Duty Drills; Pumpman; Oiler (All, except Cranes and Shovels).

GROUP 2: Air Doctor; Backhoe/Excavator/Shovel to & incl 3 cu yd Bit Grinder; Bituminous Paving Travel Plant; Boring Machine, large; Broom, Self-Propelled; Concrete Bucket Dispatcher; Concrete Conveyor; Concrete Finish Machine; Concrete Float and Spreader; Concrete Travel Batchter; Distributor; Dozer, Rubber tired, Push, and Side Boom; Drills, Heavy Duty (all types); Elevating Grader/Gradall; Field Equipment Serviceman; Front-end Loader 1 cu yd to and incl. 5 cu yd; Grade Setter; Hoist/Tugger (All Hydralift & Similar); Industrial Locomotive; Motor Patrol (Except Finish); Mountain Skidder; Oiler, Cranes & Shovels; Pavement Breaker, EMSCO; Power Saw, Self-Propelled; Pugmill; Pumpcrete/Grout Machine; Punch Truck; Rollers (All except Asphalt Finish and Breakdown); Ross Carrier; Rotomill under 6 ft; Trenching Machine; Washing/Screening Plant.

GROUP 3: Asphalt Finish Roller; Asphalt Breakdown Roller; Asphalt Paving Machine; Backhoe/Excavator/Shovel larger than 3 cu yd; Asphalt Screed; Concrete Batch Plant; Cableway Highline; Concrete Curing Machine; Cranes, 24 tons & under; Cranes, Creter; Cranes, Electric Overhead; Concrete Pump; Curb Machine/Slip Form Paver; Finish Dozer; Mechanic/Welder; Pioneer Dozer; Rotomill 6 ft and over; Scraper, Single Engine; Scraper Twin or pulling Belly Dump; Yo Yo Cat Front-end Loader over 5 cu yd.

GROUP 4: Asphalt/Hot Plant Operator; Cranes, 25 tons to 44 tons; Crusher Operator; Finish Motor Patrol; Finish Scraper.

SPECIAL OPERATORS:

GROUP 5: Cranes, 45 tons to and including 74 tons.

GROUP 6: Cranes, 75 tons to and including 149 tons.

GROUP 7: Cranes, 150 tons to and including 250 tons; Cranes over 250 tons: add \$1.00 for every 100 tons over 250 tons; Crane, Stiff-Leg or Derrick; Crane, Tower all); Crane, Whirley (all); Helicopter Hoist.

	Rates	Fringes
TRUCK DRIVER		
Group 1	\$18.54	\$7.86
Group 2	\$23.69	\$7.86

GROUP 1: Pilot Car.

GROUP 2: Combination Truck and Concrete Mixer and Transit Mixer; Dry Batch Trucks; Distributor Driver; Dumpman; Dump Trucks and similar equipment; Dumpster; Flat Trucks; Lumber Carriers; Lowboys; Pickup; Powder Truck Driver; Power Boom; Serviceman; Service Truck/Fuel Truck/Tireperson; Truck Mechanic; Trucks with Power Equipment; Warehouseman, Partsman, Cardex and Warehouse Expeditor; Water Trucks.

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

END OF GENERAL DECISION